





Rev. W. M. Cornell, May 27th 1845. Boston 27th 1845.

Dear Sir, ~~Bro.~~

32 I have been trying to meet you since I was at your place a week or more since but have not been able to find you. I preached last Sabbath for Rev. Mr. Gurd of Exeter N. H.

I believe I told you I had relinquished my school for this season at least. I am now ready to enter upon any missionary enterprise or agency which is designed to do good. What say the City Missionary Society about setting some one to work here? And if ~~they~~ say nothing about it, what say the Anti-Slavery or "Union Missionary Society to carrying forward the plan of which you spoke to me & taking the Cities for their field of labour? I should like to commence operations in Boston under their auspices, & I should have no objection to going to New York & doing the same there.

I expect to see New York in a few days & shall make some inquiries about these matters & things. Should you have any letters or communications to send on, please send them to me soon.

In the mean time, I wish to say, should you wish for a supply at your place, or should you know of any place where they may need one, I suppose I shall be ready to serve at present.

I am truly yours

Rev. Mr. Phelps.

W. M. Cornell